



ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

NATIONAL SITUATIONAL REPORT

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KEY POINTS

- On 2022-02-23 at 1600hrs Prime Minister Justin Trudeau announced the revocation of the Emergencies Act. An inquiry into the deployment of the law will begin in 60 days.^{1 2}
- As of 1900hrs on 2022-02-23, a handful of individuals and a couple of vehicles remained at the Manitoba Legislature event site.
- Multiple freedom events are planned for the weekend of 2022-02-26/27.
- Pat KING's hearing is recessed until 2022-02-25. Tamara LICH and Tyson George BILLINGS remain in custody.

PLANNED NATIONWIDE EVENTS

- Social media is reporting an event: *Starting Feb 27th park all trucks until March 4th Canada and USA please share.*³

CANADIAN INTEREST ABROAD

- Further to previous reporting received indicating that the first truck convoys could start arriving in Washington, DC, a social media post is calling for US demonstrators to block their side of Ontario bridges to close ports of entry.^{4 5} No further information provided.

B DIVISION

Arrests	0 ⁶
Active investigations	0 ⁷
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ⁸
Resources deployed outside Division	20 members to Ottawa. ⁹

C DIVISION

Arrests	0 ¹⁰
Active investigations	2 ¹¹
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ¹²
Resources deployed outside Division	75 ¹³

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**D DIVISION**

Arrests	0 ¹⁴
Active investigations	0 ¹⁵
Resources reallocated within Division	8 ¹⁶
Resources deployed outside Division	5 on standby. 1 awaiting instructions to Ottawa. ¹⁷

- On 2022-02-23 at 1100hrs, RCMP were informed of a slow roll convoy in eastern Manitoba. Police of jurisdiction were monitoring the convoy to ensure public safety.¹⁸ No incidents reported.
- The Winnipeg Police Service issued notices to demonstrators at the Manitoba Legislature to leave the area by 1700hrs on 2022-02-23 or they may be arrested for mischief.¹⁹ ²⁰ As of 1900hrs on 2022-02-23, a handful of individuals and a couple of vehicles remained.²¹ Organizers indicate demonstration will continue on a smaller scale, without vehicles, in nearby Memorial Park.

E DIVISION

Arrests	Not reported
Active investigations	Not reported
Resources reallocated within Division	Not reported
Resources deployed outside Division	Not reported

Surrey (Pacific Highway)

- As of 1317hrs on 2022-02-23, nothing to report.²²

Chilliwack

- A demonstration is scheduled to every Wednesday in front of City Hall from 1430hrs to 1630hrs.²³

Vancouver

- A potential event may take place between now and 2022-02-26. Demonstrators from all over the province are expected to participate.²⁴

F DIVISION

Arrests	0 ²⁵
Active investigations	0 ²⁶
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ²⁷
Resources deployed	3 ²⁸

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**G DIVISION**

Arrests	Not reported
Active investigations	Not reported
Resources reallocated within Division	Not reported
Resources deployed outside Division	1 to Ottawa. ²⁹

H DIVISION

Arrests	0 ³⁰
Active investigations	5 ³¹
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ³²
Resources deployed outside Division	10 resources deployed to Ottawa ³³

J DIVISION

Arrests	0 ³⁴
Active investigations	1 ³⁵
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ³⁶
Resources deployed outside Division	6 deployed to Ottawa. 12 deploying 2022-02-23. ³⁷

- An event, "Eastcoast Hold Line," is scheduled to occur on 2022-02-24 at 1700hrs in Rothesay, NB and heading to Ottawa, ON. ³⁸
- A Facebook event titled "Wake Up NorthShore" is scheduled to occur on 2022-02-26 at 1000hrs at the Nigadoo Truck Stop (Nigadoo, NB). ³⁹
- An event, "Maritimers-Standing Up for Freedom", is scheduled to take place on 2022-02-26/27 in Bathurst. Reports suggest several groups (20) from all over the province are gathering up and meeting in Bathurst. At this point, the intentions for this event are unknown. ⁴⁰
- A Facebook page, "Peaceful Freedom Rally Bathurst, is calling for an event every Saturday and Sunday from 1200hrs to 1700hrs in Bathurst. ⁴¹

K DIVISION

Arrests	Not reported
Active investigations	Not reported
Resources reallocated within Division	Not reported
Resources deployed outside Division	Not reported

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- During the afternoon of 2022-02-22, roughly 225 vehicles and 1,500 pedestrians participated in a demonstration in Edmonton in front of the Alberta Legislature. The event began to disperse at approximately 1600hrs MST, and the closed roads have reopened. Edmonton Police Service handed out 109 violations during the event.⁴²

L DIVISION

Arrests	0 ⁴³
Active investigations	1 ⁴⁴
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ⁴⁵
Resources deployed outside Division	3 to Ottawa ⁴⁶

- An event is planned for 2022-02-26 in Borden-Carleton, despite previous indications suggesting it would be postponed. Additionally, dates for the following weekend (2022-03-05/06) have also been added. Divisional Liaison Team members to continue engagement with organizers.⁴⁷

M DIVISION

Arrests	Not reported
Active investigations	Not reported
Resources reallocated within Division	Not reported
Resources deployed outside Division	4 on standby ⁴⁸

NATIONAL DIVISION

Arrests	Not reported
Active investigations	Not reported
Resources reallocated within Division	Not reported
Resources deployed outside Division	Not reported

- On 2022-02-23, following the announcement of the revocation of the Emergencies Act, the Ottawa Police Service (OPS) has observed individuals returning to downtown Ottawa.
- A social media post has been located that references knowing the address of Provincial court Judge Julie Bourgeois' residence and implies that individuals should "visit". Judge Bourgeois denied bail for Tamara LICH on 2022-02-22.⁴⁹
- The Notice to Air Mission (NOTAM) over Parliament Hill was cancelled at 1712hrs on 2022-02-23.
- The Combined Intelligence Group (CIG) reported the following updates on possible staging areas:
 - **VANKLEEK HILL (HERB'S):**⁵⁰
 - Vehicles on site as of 1600hrs on 2022-02-22: Two tractors.⁵¹

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- 4 vehicles blocked all lanes on Highway 417 eastbound.
- **VANKLEEK HILL (SPLENDORON FARM):**
 - As of 1723hrs on 2022-02-23, there are over 100 vehicles (cars, pickups, campers, trucks) at Splendoron Farm.
 - 4 support vehicles with flags/banners left Splendoron's farm at approximately 1810hrs, eastbound on Highway 417 towards Quebec.
 - 20 further vehicles left eastbound towards Quebec on Highway 417 at a slow rate of speed.⁵²
- **ARNPRIOR (ROBERTSON LINE/WHITE LAKE)**
 - As of 1723hrs on 2022-02-23, there were approximately 25 personal vehicles and two tractor-trailers on site. It appears a black pickup truck is blocking the entrance to the field and checking persons entering the property.⁵³

O DIVISION

Arrests	0 ⁵⁴
Active investigations	Not applicable ⁵⁵
Resources reallocated within Division	0 ⁵⁶
Resources deployed outside Division	106 Additional 69 members deployed to start shift on 2022-02-24. ⁵⁷

Approved for dissemination: Sandy Harvey, Director Federal Policing Joint Intelligence Group, Bronze Commander

Date: 2022-02-24

¹ <https://www.ctvnews.ca/politics/pm-trudeau-revokes-emergencies-act-1.5793047> , 2022-02-23

² 2022-02-23 17h02h PS 00009-22 Points of Impacts to Critical Infrastructure

³ 2022-02-23 11h44 PIU CIG Update 205

⁴ 2022-02-23 08h12 Email from GAC USA Tactical: Multiple anti-COVID-19 vaccination mandate trucker convoys slated to take place nationwide from February 23

⁵ 2022-02-23 20h37 RFI Response ODiv

⁶ 2022-02-23 14h14 BDiv Update

⁷ 2022-02-23 14h14 BDiv Update

⁸ 2022-02-23 14h14 BDiv Update

⁹ 2022-02-23 14h14 BDiv Update

¹⁰ 2022-02-23 16h15 CDiv Sit Rep

¹¹ 2022-02-23 16h15 CDiv Sit Rep

¹² 2022-02-23 16h15 CDiv Sit Rep



- ¹³ 2022-02-23 16h15 CDiv Sit Rep
- ¹⁴ 2022-02-20 17h02 RFI Response DDiv
- ¹⁵ 2022-02-20 17h02 RFI Response DDiv
- ¹⁶ 2022-02-20 17h02 RFI Response DDiv
- ¹⁷ 2022-02-20 17h02 RFI Response DDiv
- ¹⁸ 2022-02-23 17h01h DDiv Manitoba Freedom Convoy Demonstrations
- ¹⁹ <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/manitoba/winnipeg-convoy-protesters-legislature-leave-wps-1.6360700> , 2022-02-22
- ²⁰ 2022-02-23 12h04 Impacts to Critical Infrastructure 12h00 Update
- ²¹ <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/manitoba/convoy-protest-manitoba-legislature-deadline-1.6361393> , 2022-02-23
- ²² 2022-02-23 17h09h EDIV Freedom Convoy Sit Rep #38
- ²³ 2022-02-23 17h09h EDIV Freedom Convoy Sit Rep #38
- ²⁴ 2022-02-22 17h37 EDIV Freedom Convoy Sit Rep #36
- ²⁵ 2022-02-23 16h22 FDiv Sit Rep
- ²⁶ 2022-02-23 16h22 FDiv Sit Rep
- ²⁷ 2022-02-23 16h22 FDiv Sit Rep
- ²⁸ 2022-02-23 16h22 FDiv Sit Rep
- ²⁹ 2022-02-23 14h29 GDiv SitRep
- ³⁰ 2022-02-22 14h12 HDiv Update
- ³¹ 2022-02-22 14h12 HDiv Update
- ³² 2022-02-22 14h12 HDiv Update
- ³³ 2022-02-22 14h12 HDiv Update
- ³⁴ 2022-02-23 15h38h JDIV Planned Protest Demonstration Update
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- ³⁷ 2022-02-23 15h38h JDIV Planned Protest Demonstration Update
- ³⁸ 2022-02-23 15h48 JDiv Sit Rep
- ³⁹ 2022-02-22 17h19 JDIV Sit Rep
- ⁴⁰ 2022-02-23 15h38h JDIV Planned Protest Demonstration Update
- ⁴¹ 2022-02-23 15h38h JDIV Planned Protest Demonstration Update
- ⁴² 2022-02-23 12h04 Impacts to Critical Infrastructure 12h00 Update
- ⁴³ 2022-02-23 14h40 LDiv Update
- ⁴⁴ 2022-02-23 14h40 LDiv Update
- ⁴⁵ 2022-02-23 14h40 LDiv Update
- ⁴⁶ 2022-02-23 14h40 LDiv Update
- ⁴⁷ 2022-02-23 14h40 LDiv Update
- ⁴⁸ 2022-02-19 10h45 RFI Response MDiv
- ⁴⁹ 2022-02-23 17h44h JIG Emails RIF Downtown Core
- ⁵⁰ 2022-02-21 19h39 PIU Sit Rep #175
- ⁵¹ 2022-02-23 7h50 RIF Ottawa Downtown Core
- ⁵² 2022-02-23 19h42 PIU CIG Update #207
- ⁵³ 2022-02-23 17h44 PIU CIG Update #206
- ⁵⁴ 2022-02-23 20h37 RFI Response ODiv
- ⁵⁵ 2022-02-23 20h37 RFI Response ODiv
- ⁵⁶ 2022-02-23 20h37 RFI Response ODiv
- ⁵⁷ 2022-02-23 20h37 RFI Response ODiv

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